## **Introduction (Kristen Gunthardt)**

- The minutes from all previous conference calls are available over the web: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/storet/confcalls.html">http://www.epa.gov/storet/confcalls.html</a>
- The next scheduled call will be in mid-January. The exact date will be emailed via the listsery later this month.
- Please email <a href="mailto:storet@epa.gov">storet@epa.gov</a> and let EPA know you have attended the call so that meeting rosters may be kept.
- If you have a special topic you'd like to lead for an upcoming call, please email Gunthardt.Kristen@epamail.epa.gov
- EPA would like to hear comments you have on the quality of these conference calls. Please send them to storet@epa.gov
- Please subscribe to the STORET automated listserver for announcements regarding conference calls: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/storet/listserv.html">http://www.epa.gov/storet/listserv.html</a>

## **Updates to STORET**

- STORET version 2.0.08 Reference Data Update DBFIX022 will be available on the STORET System Updates page by December 9, 2005. DBFIX022 will address the requested reference table changes from the past three months. A summary of these fixes will be posted on the ftp site and also available through the STORET System Updates page.
- STORET Characteristics names are currently in the process of being matched to EPA Substance Registry System (SRS) to develop a consistency between STORET and EPA SRS. Retired STORET characteristics names can be accessed in the application under aliases in the characteristic search window. John Harmon of the National Substance Registry System will be available on the January call to discuss registry names and provide more information on resolving standard registry requests.
- We are in the process of performing this month's data warehouse refresh. Due to the utilization and maintenance of two parallel data warehouses however, no downtime should be experienced. The updated warehouse will be available Monday, December 5, 2005. In addition, the complete Data Warehouse Refresh schedule for the 2006 calendar year will be available and posted on the listsery later this month.
  - NOTE: Due to the use of two parallel instances, please remember to bookmark only static web pages such as the STORET Warehouse homepage (no queries!)

## **National Monitoring Conference**

The National Monitoring Conference is being held May 7-11, 2006 in San Jose, CA. Please see the website <a href="http://www.tetratech-ffx.com/nwqmc06/">http://www.tetratech-ffx.com/nwqmc06/</a> for more details.

Participants on call (based on who emailed storet@epa.gov)